

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 1167  
By Herron

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Heather Brown, 2004  
Valedictorian of Lexington High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Heather Brown is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2004 graduating class at Lexington High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Heather has achieved outstanding academic success, and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Ms. Brown has earned an exemplary grade point average; she is a three-year Beta Club member, serving as President her final year, and has been invited to every All Stars Celebration for the top ten averages during her academic career; and

WHEREAS, a participant in many school activities, Heather is a member of the Renaissance Club, the World Travelers Club, the Drama Club, the Student Community Service Corps and was a two-year member of the French Club; she was a member of the FFA in the 9th grade, the FCCLA in the 10th grade, and is a member of the Annual Staff during the 12th grade; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Brown is a leader among her peers, having served as Treasurer of the Student Community Service Corps in the 10th grade and as Secretary in the 11th and 12th grades; no stranger to accolades and honors, she was selected to be a HOBY participant in the 10th grade, was named a Girls State Alternate in the 11th grade, and received the Student of the Month Award in October of her Freshman year; and

WHEREAS, Heather demonstrated her athletic prowess as a four-year member of the Volleyball team and has been the recipient of the Scholar Athlete award on several occasions; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Brown's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Heather's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Ronald and Karen Brown, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Heather Brown's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor 2004 Lexington High School Valedictorian, Heather Brown, on her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.